SAYS SACKEY IS NOT A COUNT, BUT A BARBER

Came from St. Petersburg Penniless, but Has Had a Meteoric Career.

Rising like a rocket, a penniless St. sources than his own personality became the "Count" Aribert Sackey, a self-titled nobleman; and now falling like a stick, he is held a prisoner in the West Side Jail, while every hour new phases of his amazing career come to light from a dozen different sources.

Perhaps the most interesting of the half dozen astonishing chapters in the Backey human document that have de-

off their engagement. She was desperately in love with him, too. He made love to her and to me at the same time. "Nor was that all—he was a most versatile maker of love. He told me that when he was coming from Naples last fall on the steamship Princess Irene, being then on his way back from Egypt, he met a wealthy Boston woman, who lives in the Beaconsfield Hotel, at Brookline, paid her devoted attention, and induced her to invest a large sum of money in his scheme. This amount may have been as large at \$40,000. I have written to the Boston lady's lawyer, J. J. Meyers, to inquire whether she wants to join in prosecuting him. I also know that while carrying on his other courtships, Sackey was attentive to an actress and to a Russian dancer with the "Wonderland" troupe, who boarded with a family in West Fifty-fourth street. I have heard that he induced the dancing girl to turn over some of her savings to him for investment in his Egyptian company. I tell you, Sackey is a wonder."

GROUT ARGUES AGAINST NEW EAST RIVER PARK

Says He Represents No One, but the Project Would Oust Le-

high Valley Railroad. Former Comptroller Grout argued precisely as might counsel for the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company to-day on a plan of certain property owners to convert the region on the East River water front, from One Hundred and Twenty-third to One Hundred and Twenty-third to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, into a public park. While the Harlem Local Board flavors the plan Mr. Grout opposes it utterly. He said he represented no one in particular. The Lehigh Valley Radiroad Company would be ousted from its present wharfage and landing facilities if the city takes possession.

Frank Moss and others spoke in favor of the project. The cost is estimated at 1,00,000.

CAUGHT FAST IN "FROG," OLD MAN LOSES FOOT

Rail Just as Express Reaches Him.

The engineer of a southbound subur- Bridge Commissioner Stevenson to road, approaching One Hundred and work of the new Manhattan Bridge Fifty-fourth sireet and Park avenue announcing that he has abandoned the pair of blue overalls and a cap such as cable and nickel and basic steel as rallroad laborers affect crossing the against high carbon and other steels, tracks. All at once the old man stopped which have been the subject of contro-

The train stopped and engineer and

Hurls Himself Outside Fifty-fifth street. The chances are he

CALL FOR NEW BIDS ON MANHATTAN BRIDGE.

ban express train on the New Haven day advertised for new bids for the steel to-day, saw a little old man wearing a idea of "eye-bare" in favor of wire on the track directly in front of the versy and litigation from the time of Lindenthal.

The story of this young Russian makes the record of the average Old World soldier of fortune sound in comparison like the cheap operations of an amateur panhandler.

He is charged with having paid court to four or five rich women at once and with having borrowed money in large sums from the most of them, all the while maintaining a separate establishment with a foreign dancing girl who passed for his wife. By his shrewd patter prominent financiers were made to look with favor upon great business enterprises which apparently existed nowhere save in the aglie lobes of Sackey's busy brain.

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Millinery. Easter Opening

Trimmed Hats

Wednesday and Thursday, April 11 and 12.

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the West Sixty-eighth street station, rigilance led to the arraignment of sixteen-year-old Harold Firth, jr., in Centre Street Police Court to-day on a charge of stealing a \$500 diamond ring from the Francis home. Mr. Francis refused to prosecute, and the case was

The Firth and Francis families are on terms of close friendship. Carrie Francis, a daughter of Mr. Francis, visited the Firth family last Sunday and young Harold escorted her to her home in Orange Sunday night. He missed the last train in, and at the invitation of the Francis family remained at their home.

Mrs. Francis missed the ring, an heir-loom, the next day, but did not assoloon, the next day, but did not asso-ciate its diappearance with the visit of young Firth, who came to New York on an early morning train. He had picked up the ring and put it in his



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